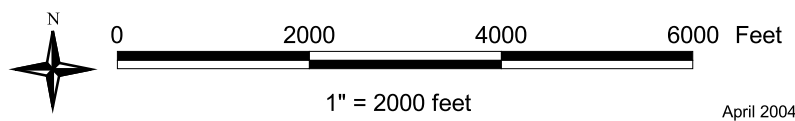


(MP 2) Milepost on Interstate Route
 (MP 2) Milepost on Alliant Route

| Legend | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| | Proposed Nobles County Substation Site Area |
| | 345 kV Proposed Route Corridor |
| | 345 kV Proposed Route Centerline |
| | Natural Resource Managed Areas |
| | NWI Wetlands |
| | MNDNR Public Water Streams |
| | MN DNR Public Water Basins |
| Existing Transmission Line Voltage | |
| | less than 69 kv |
| | 69 kv |
| | 115 kv |
| | 161 kv |
| | 230 kv |
| | 345 kv |



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